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Mr. Byron Nagata Cleghorn & Washburn Mining Company P.O. Box 2604 Grand Junction, Colorado 81501

Dear Mr. Nagata:

Enclosed are the forms which your company can use to file with this Division and bring the mines which you spoke of in compliance with the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act.

The basic filing would consist of the MR-1 (Notice of Intention to Commence Mining Operations) and an MR-2 (Mining and Reclamation Plan). Surety would be established by this Division and the surety for reclamation forms would be filed later.

A field inspection will be performed after the Division received the completed MR-1 and MR-2 from you. Following filed evaluation and the Division's agreement on the reclamation measures to be employed, a tentative approval is issued and notice of this is published. Thirty (30) days subsequent to publishing in a local newspaper and a statewide newspaper, a final approval may be issued by the Division providing no substantive objections are received and that the operator has posted adequate surety to cover reclamation costs.

The Division staff will be glad to meet with you to discuss the Act or the filing procedure.

Sincerely,

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS, AND MINING

RONALD W. DANIELS, COORDINATOR OF MINED LAND DEVELOPMENT